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Amendments to the Abstract:

Please cancel the original Abstract and present a new Abstract as follows:

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ABSTRACT

The invention relates to flavour precursors represented by the formula $R_1-S-CO-O-R_2$ wherein R_1 is a specified heterocyclic radical, and the oxygen atom of the R_2-O -moiety is attached to a primary carbon atom of R_2 ; and to a foodstuff provided with such a flavour precursor.